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Dear Industry Colleagues

Firm Frequency response: OCP -18 Update

We refer to the above Outline Change Proposals Document issued on 14th June 2018, which invited views from industry by 12th July 2018. National Grid received numerous and extensive comments, which are being considered carefully.

In accordance with the change governance rules set out in the Standard Contract Terms, we are now writing to confirm our intention to implement the change proposals. In light of the number of proposals and the extent of views received we feel that it is only right that we fully consider all comments. To do so adequate time is needed to undertake this and therefore we will expect to confirm our final conclusions no later than the 7th September 2018. At that point, we will outline our conclusions for final comment. Following this we will circulate a Detailed Change Proposal with the finalised legal drafting for implementation.

Thank you for your constructive participation in the process so far.

Yours sincerely,



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